IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re: Andrés F. Zuluaga et al. Confirmation No: 2256

Application No: 10/765,626 Group: 3737

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For: Side Firing Fiber Optic Array
Probe

Customer No.: 29127

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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 111

FACSIMILE: 571-273-8300 Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the pending Office Action, mailed January 5, 2007 (Paper No. 20061219), please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

-amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims in section a); and

Finally, reconsideration is requested in view of the remarks set forth in section b).

A two-month extension is requested for this response.